

# PARSING

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TITLE: Method and apparatus for a disc drive adaptive file system

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Detail Description Paragraph - DETX (19):

[0042] At step 620, the method 600 determines if disc drive optimization is necessary. In one aspect, disc drive optimization is defined as mapping the LBA for the files to the optimum PBA location. If the file does not require optimization, i.e., the drive is optimized, then method 600 is put on hold, e.g., to sleep until optimization is required at step 618. The method 600 is reinitialized at step 616 upon detection of a file allocation change. If optimization is required, the current PBAs locations are determined at step 622. At step 625, the method 600 parses a read command from the computer 80, and begins to read the first LBA block of the file location set by a read command. Files are then read from the media 50 according to the command. At step 630, the method 600 determines the next logical starting LBA depending upon parameters of the previous parsed command. For example, if the command was to read a media file, the next command may be to read a play list of the media file. Based on this logical determination, the method 600 moves the read/write head(s) 40 to the logical LBA starting location and reads the LBA block into memory such as buffer memory 32.

Detail Description Paragraph - DETX (22):

[0045] The optimum LBA and PBA mapping is determined at step 655. In one aspect, the drive speed is used to determine the optimum LBA to PBA mapping. For a drive that is determined too slow at step 640, the method 600 maps the LBA to a new PBA that will be in the correct physical position when needed regardless if the PBA or LBA are fragmented across the media 50. For example,

referring to FIG. 3, if the current location of the read/write head(s) 40 is LBA zero (PBA five), and the current location of the next command data is at LBA two (PBA seven) the seek time is greater than if the next command starting LBAs are located at LBA one (PBA six). The seek time is increased by the fact that head one is used to read PBA five, and that head two is reading PBA seven.

To optimize the location of the data at PBA seven, the method 600 moves the data in PBA six to another location, scratch area, and the like, and then moves the data from PBA seven to PBA six. The method 600 updates the physical descriptor table to reflect the change. As the new location of the data for the next command is physically closer and the memory was ready to accept the data, while the data for the current command is being transmitted over the bus 42, the data for the next command is being stored in memory. Thus, regardless of file fragmentation by locating the data in an optimum location, the data flow into and out of the memory is effectively synchronized with the physical location of the data.

Detail Description Paragraph - DETX (23):

[0046] For a drive that is too fast, the method 600 maps the LBAs to optimum PBAs minimizing the number of idle revolutions, fragmentations required, or different media 50 and head(s) 40 needed to give the drive time to be about aligned with the proper data location. For example, referring to FIG. 3, if the current location of the read/write head(s) 40 is LBA zero (PBA five), and the current location of the next command is at LBA 1 (PBA six) the seek time is less than if the next command LBAs are located at LBA two (PBA seven), as PBA zero and PBA seven are physically further apart than PBA five and PBA six, the drive may spin a rev in order to give the memory enough time to allow access to the memory. Thus, the seek time is decreased by the fact that head one is used to read PBA five and PBA six. To optimize the location of the data at PBA six, the method 600 moves the data in PBA seven to another location such as the reserved area, and the like, and then moves the data from PBA six to

PBA seven.  
The method 600 updates the physical descriptor table to reflect the change. As the new location of the data for the next command is physically farther the seek time is longer, allowing the memory more time to send the data across the bus 42, allowing the memory time to become accessible. Thus, if the seek time is long enough, the memory has enough time to send the data across the bus 42 before reading PBA seven, allowing the data from PBA seven to be loaded into memory without spinning a rev. If the seek time is insufficient in length, then method 600 continues to move the file to other PBAs until the read ahead of the next command LBAs is about synchronized. At step 660, once the optimum PBA location is determined, then the LBAs are mapped to the PBAs for that current command and the optimization table is updated. Subsequently, at step 670, for a host-based system, the file allocation table updates are sent to the operating system for processing.

| L Number | Hits  | Search Text   | DB              | Time stamp       |
|----------|-------|---|-----------------|------------------|
| 1        | 1281  | logical adj2 address with map\$4  | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 12:47 |
| 2        | 331   | (logical adj2 address with map\$4) with block   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 12:36 |
| 3        | 136   | ((logical adj2 address with map\$4) with block) and (RAID SAN)  | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 12:37 |
| 4        | 97    | ((logical adj2 address with map\$4) with block) and (RAID SAN)  | USPAT           | 2003/12/09 12:50 |
| 5        | 1     | ("5438559").PN.   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 12:45 |
| 6        | 76    | (logical adj block adj address LBA) with map\$4 with (physical adj block adj address PBA)   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:13 |
| 7        | 23    | ((logical adj block adj address LBA) with map\$4 with (physical adj block adj address PBA)) and (RAID SAN)  | USPAT           | 2003/12/09 13:12 |
| 8        | 0     | (((logical adj block adj address LBA) with map\$4 with (physical adj block adj address PBA)) and (RAID SAN)) and pars\$4                                      | USPAT           | 2003/12/09 13:01 |
| 9        | 1     | ((logical adj block adj address LBA) with map\$4 with (physical adj block adj address PBA)) and pars\$4   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:01 |
| 10       | 2     | ((logical adj block adj address LBA) with map\$4 with (physical adj block adj address PBA)) same (read write) with request                                    | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:09 |
| 11       | 2171  | pars\$4 with (read write)   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:14 |
| 12       | 1     | (pars\$4 with (read write)) and ((logical adj block adj address LBA) with map\$4 with (physical adj block adj address PBA))                                   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:09 |
| 13       | 0     | ((logical adj block adj address LBA) with map\$4 with (physical adj block adj address PBA)) and (RAID SAN)) and pars\$4                                       | USPAT           | 2003/12/09 13:12 |
| 14       | 99    | (logical adj block adj address LBA) same map\$4 same (physical adj block adj address PBA)   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:17 |
| 15       | 1     | ((logical adj block adj address LBA) same map\$4 same (physical adj block adj address PBA)) and (pars\$4 with (read write))                                   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:13 |
| 16       | 4312  | pars\$4 same (read write)   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:14 |
| 17       | 1     | (pars\$4 same (read write)) and ((logical adj block adj address LBA) same map\$4 same (physical adj block adj address PBA))                                   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:14 |
| 18       | 4581  | pars\$4 with (request command)  | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:17 |
| 19       | 1     | (pars\$4 with (request command)) and ((logical adj block adj address LBA) with map\$4 with (physical adj block adj address PBA))                              | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:15 |
| 20       | 14    | (pars\$4 with (request command)) and (logical adj2 address with map\$4)   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:15 |
| 21       | 16    | (pars\$4 same (read write)) and (logical adj2 address with map\$4)  | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:15 |
| 22       | 5980  | (pars\$4 decod\$4) with (request command) with (read write)   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:18 |
| 23       | 2     | ((pars\$4 decod\$4) with (request command) with (read write)) and ((logical adj block adj address LBA) with map\$4 with (physical adj block adj address PBA)) | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:18 |
| 24       | 27434 | (pars\$4 decod\$4) with (request command)   | USPAT; US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09 13:18 |

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| 25 | 4 | ((pars\$4 decod\$4) with (request command)<br>) and ((logical adj block adj address<br>LBA) with map\$4 with (physical adj block<br>adj address PBA))<br>("6065096").PN. | USPAT;<br>US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09<br>13:18 |
| -  | 1 |  | USPAT;<br>US-PGPUB | 2003/12/09<br>12:36 |
| -  | 1 | ((("6065096").PN.) and map\$4  | USPAT;<br>US-PGPUB | 2003/12/08<br>18:12 |